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SUBJECT: GOB MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE'S REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

1. AGRICULTURE MINISTER LINDSAY BOLDEN HAS ASKED THE EMBASSY FOR INFORMATION ON THE FUNCTIONING OF THE USDA'S FEDERAL CROP INSURANCE CORP. HE IS CONSIDERING ATTEMPTING A LIMITED CROP INSURANCE SYSTEM FOR BARBADOS.

2. ACTION REQUESTED: THAT THE DEPARTMENT REQUEST USDA TO PROVIDE THE EMBASSY WITH AS MUCH INFO ON ITS CROP INSURANCE ACTIVITIES AS POSSIBLE.

3. COMMENT: AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED, BOLDEN HAS BEEN URGED BY SOME OF HIS ASSOCIATES TO PURCHASE CATTLE FROM CUBA AND REQUEST CUBAN AGRICULTURAL AID. HE SAYS HE IS RESISTING THE PRESSURE BUT THAT IT WILL HELP IF HE IS ABLE TO POINT TO EVEN A MINIMAL RESPONSE FROM THE USG. THE EMBASSY HOPES THE MINISTER'S REQUEST FOR INFORMATION ON CROP INSURANCE WILL BE FILLED IN A TIMELY FASHION.
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